REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Berret, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money for the support of the Children's Country Home of Baltimore county.

Also, reported favorably, from same Committee.

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to the Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to aid in the erection of a monument in the city of Baltimore to the memory of the Maryland Patriots of the Revolutionary War.

Also, reported favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to pay B. J. Sedwick and W. C. Warner wages due them as employees in Warehouse No. 2, during the year 1890.

Also, favorably.

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate certain sums of money to pay the claims of the Marr Construction Company of Baltimore city and the Shultz Gas Fixture and Art Metal Company of Baltimore city.

Which were severally read a second time.

Also, favorably, with proposed amendment:

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to assist in defraying the expenses incurred in erecting a monument on the battle ground of Antietam, in this State, to the soldiers of the Fifth Regiment, Maryland Volunteers, who fell in that battle and to mark the site where the regiment fought.

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Section 2, second line, after the word "Treasurer," insert the words "Isaac D. Davis, of Elkton, of the Monument Committee."

Which was adopted.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a second time. The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message:

By THE SENATE, March 10th, 1892.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We respectfully request the return to the Senate of House bill No. 47, entitled an Act to pay certain em-